

# Saint Michael Parish

300 North Broad Street, Canfield, Ohio 44406



**Weekend Masses:**  
Saturday 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.

**Holiday Masses:**  
12:15 p.m. & 6:00 p.m.

**Reconciliation:**  
Saturday 3:00 p.m.

**Office Hours** ..... Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
Friday 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

**Parish Office**..... 330-533-6839

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**Family Life Center** ..... 330-533-3181

*Saint Michael Parish is a welcoming Roman Catholic Community united by faith in Jesus Christ. Called to the mission of Jesus by Baptism, nourished by God's Word and Sacraments, we join to celebrate our faith and to continue Christ's mission of love, justice and service. As good stewards, guided by the Holy Spirit, we believe we are called to be Christ to one another, sharing our time, talent, and treasure with our community and the world, especially with those less fortunate.*

## PARISH STAFF:

**Pastor** ..... Very Reverend John-Michael Lavelle, D. Min.

**Pastoral Associate for Adult Faith Formation**..... Maureen Hall

**Pastoral Associate for Youth Faith Formation**..... Marcy Fessler

**Music Ministry Director**..... Laura Kunkel

**Business Manager**..... Stephanie Howley

**Administrative Assistant**..... Maxine Gordon

**Family Life Center Manager**..... Audrey Geskey

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## Registration

Arrangements for registration can be made by calling the parish office.

## Adult Inquiry/Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA)

Adults who have questions about the Catholic faith, or who would like to become members of the Catholic Church are invited to contact a member of the Pastoral Staff.

## Baptism

Baptisms are done during any weekend Mass. Expectant or new parents must be registered parishioners. Please call the parish office 3-4 months prior to the preferred Baptism date to schedule Baptism preparation.

**Bulletin Deadline: Monday at Noon.**

See bulletin for holiday schedule/adjustments.

## Confirmation

Celebrated for students in the 8th grade. Please call the parish office.

## Marriage

Couples are asked to call the Parish Office prior to making other arrangements. A minimum of 6 months is required.

## Liturgy

Persons interested in becoming a liturgical minister are asked to contact a member of the Pastoral Staff.

## Youth Faith Formation

Catechetical program for students in grades K - 8.

## Adult Faith Formation

Please contact a member of the Pastoral Staff for information about adult opportunities for education and spiritual growth.

## Hospital

Please call the church office if a family member is in the hospital and would like to be visited.

## Homebound/Nursing Home

If parishioner is homebound or in a nursing home and would like to receive Communion, please contact the church office.

## Social Justice

Persons interested in becoming involved in ministries to the poor or oppressed are asked to contact a member of the Pastoral Staff.

**Catholic Charities Regional Agency Mahoning County (330) 744-3320**

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## Mass Schedule

### Monday, November 6

8:00am – Tony Peluso

### Tuesday, November 7

8:00am – Don Wright

### Wednesday, November 8

8:00am – Mary & Jim Pitzulo

### Thursday, November 9

#### The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

8:00am – Dorothy Hybert & Family

### Friday, November 10

#### Saint Leo the Great

No Daily Mass

### Saturday, November 11

#### Vigil – The 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Retired Religious Appeal

3:00pm – Reconciliation

4:00pm – Rose & Paul Ridarsky

### Sunday, November 12

#### The 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Retired Religious Appeal

9:00am – Madelyn Pedaline

11:30am – The People of the Parish

## FROM THE PASTOR . . .

Thank you to Father Jim Korda for celebrating our Masses this weekend. I am celebrating Masses this weekend in Salem and Leetonia. This will be the last weekend I am at Saint Paul and Saint Patrick as their temporary administrator. Their new pastor, Father Joe Ruggieri, will begin his assignment on November 15<sup>th</sup>. Thank you for your understanding during this brief additional responsibility. Please keep Father Ruggieri and the parishes in Salem and Leetonia in your prayers.

Thank you to everyone who came out and celebrated Halloween with us on Tuesday. We hope all the families had a great time sharing in dinner after their time out trick or treating in the neighborhoods. Thanks to everyone who helped plan and serve the dinner as well.

Over the last couple of decades, we have heard that every election is the “most consequential in our lifetimes”. Perhaps that is not an exaggeration. The election this Tuesday certainly has great consequences for our local community, in terms of the educational future of our youth, and for our state, in terms of protection for the unborn children of God. The Church is very clear that we do not endorse candidates or issues that do not have

explicit moral ramifications. The protection of all God’s children, and their further development beyond birth are moral issues. As such, I ask everyone, as people of faith, to search their hearts and minds, and make their voice heard this Tuesday.

## DEDICATION OF THE LATERN BASILICA

Most Catholics think of the Basilica of Saint Peter as the pope’s main church, but they are wrong. Saint John Lateran is the pope’s church, the cathedral of the Diocese of Rome where the Bishop of Rome presides. The first basilica on the site was built in the fourth century when Constantine donated land he had received from the wealthy Lateran family – the name John is actually in honor of Saint John the Baptizer. That structure and its successors suffered fire, earthquake, and the ravages of war, but the Lateran remained the church where popes were consecrated. In the 14th century when the papacy returned to Rome from Avignon, the church and the adjoining palace were found to be in ruins. Pope Innocent X commissioned the present structure in 1646. One of Rome’s most imposing churches, the Lateran’s towering facade is crowned with 15 colossal statues of Christ, John the Baptist, John the Evangelist, and 12 doctors of the Church. Beneath its high altar rest the remains of the small wooden table on which tradition holds Saint Peter himself celebrated Mass. The celebration of the basilica is this Thursday, November 9<sup>th</sup>, and is celebrated universally, due to the great importance as the Holy Father’s own Church.

## #i GIVE CATHOLIC

Saint Michael Parish is once again participating in #iGive Catholic. Last year we received \$455 for our faith

formation program. This year, we are hoping to raise \$3,000 for our Youth Faith Formation Program. The move to a weekly program with a textbook has opened the possibilities of using technology in the classrooms. Our ultimate goal is Smart TVs for every room and iPads for every team of catechists. Watch for more information and updates on this year’s campaign. Early giving will open on November 13.



## VOCATIONS AWARENESS WEEK

Pray for those who are discerning a call to proclaim the hope of the Resurrection as religious brothers, sisters, priests, or deacons. If you feel God is offering you the grace of a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life, contact Father Chad Johnson at 330-744-8451 or [cjohnson@youngstowndiocese.org](mailto:cjohnson@youngstowndiocese.org).



Beginning this weekend, we have our **Christmas Giving Wreaths** up at all the entrances to the Church. As with the past few years, we will again be asking for **cash only donations**. Our partner agencies will, in turn, use the financial donations to secure what each family is requesting.

Again, this year, the **Angel Ornaments** on the wreaths are for you to keep. We ask that when you prepare your home for Christmas that you hang the ornament on your tree and during the holidays, when you see that ornament, you keep in prayer the family your generosity enabled to have a more joyful Christmas. All the angel ornaments have an envelope attached. The suggested donations are: green - \$25; pink - \$50; gold - \$100. Any amount you can offer is acceptable. We ask that if you wish to make more than one donation, that you take one ornament, and take other envelopes from the basket near the bulletins. To return your donation, you may drop it in the secured donation boxes located near the wreaths, in the offertory basket or mail it to the parish office. We are extremely thankful for the overwhelming support our parish family has shown in past years. We are very hopeful that the same generous support will continue this year. God bless you all!

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL**

Margaret Belcik	John Hahn	Jayne Lynn Lowe
Michael Belcik	Pat Hoyle	Mary Lou Mack
Kevin Bennett	Dale Hynes	Linda Miller
Bruce Brunner	Steven Kaczmar	Cindy Morrissey
Mary Louise H. Buck	Mary Jo Latera	David Morrissey
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Dorothy DeChicco	Jack LeBrun	Maryann Rovnak
John Deley	Bridget Dunn Leonard	Scott Schulte
James Dunn, Sr.	Patricia Lesho	Lenore Slotterback
Jay Gettemy	Barbara Dunn Lowe	Jay Smith
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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
Pancake Breakfast**

The Knights of Columbus will hold pancake breakfast in the Parish Hall on **Sunday, November 26** between masses to benefit East Palestine residents.

Please bring non-perishable food items, cleaning supplies or bottled water. You may also donate cash.



**LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

**Saturday, November 11 – 4:00 PM**

**Lector:** Dominic Rich  
**Servers:** Benjamin & Daniel Herrmann  
**Euch. Min:** Audrey Geskey (X)  
 Marleen Belfiore (HF)  
 Janet Pitzulo (T)

**Ushers:** Marleen Belfiore, Dan Stout

**Sunday, November 12 – 9:00 AM**

**Lector:** Juanita Sherba  
**Server:** Michael Smallwood  
**Euch. Min:** Paul Sherba (X)  
 Shirley Dunn (HF)  
 Karen Kalosky (T)

**Ushers:** Richard Gary, Greg Iaderosa, Brian Kerr, Mario Silvestri, Jim Basista

**Sunday, November 12 – 11:30 AM**

**Lector:** Laura Lonardo  
**Server:** Noah Gilbert  
**Euch. Min:** Mia Richardson (X)  
 Kay McCarthy (HF)  
 Kim Gilbert (T)

**Ushers:** Tom Eaton, Luke Scolieri

**THE TURKEY CONNECTION**



*The only thing we know of for sure is that things will change!*

After more than 40 years of collecting turkeys for thanksgiving meals for Saint Vincent DePaul Dining Hall, The Rescue Mission and Skip's Café, on Wednesday we are changing the collection day to

**Tuesday, November 21, 2023**

If you have been a parishioner of Saint Michael for a time, you know of the Turkey Connection. Each year we are asked to supply turkeys and all the "fixins" like stuffing, pies, potatoes, yams, rolls, etc. of a Thanksgiving meal to serve at these facilities. Since the city buses don't run on Thanksgiving Day, the Thanksgiving meal will be served on Wednesday. Please bring these items (use disposable containers) to our Parish Hall on

**Tuesday, November 21, 2023  
Between 8:30am and 4:00pm**

Thank you and God bless you for this and all you already do to bring the face of Christ to this small corner of the world.

## THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

### Monday, November 6

9:00am – Fitness Fun

### Tuesday, November 7

#### Election Day

11:00am – Patriotic Rosary

6:30 – 8:00pm – Eucharistic Revival Session

7:00pm – Scouts

### Wednesday, November 8

9:00am – Fitness Fun

### Thursday, November 9

8:30am- Bible Study

8:30 – 10:00am – Eucharistic Revival Session

10:30am – Scripture Sharing

1:00-2:45pm – Monthly Bible Study

7:00pm – Men's Club

### Friday, November 10

9:00am – Fitness Fun

7:30pm – AA Meeting

### Saturday, November 11

3:00pm – Reconciliation

### Sunday, November 12

#### Reconciliation Family Packets Due

10:05 – 11:20am – Youth Faith Formation

2:00 – 3:30pm – First Reconciliation Session



**Young**  
at  
*Heart*

November's Young at Heart, on **Monday, November 13<sup>th</sup>**, will discuss the Process for Canonization – basically, how does someone become a Saint! Make sure to mark your calendar. Mass will begin at 11:30am – celebrating the feast of Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini – the first US citizen to become a saint, followed by lunch and then the presentation. Please RSVP to the parish office if you plan to attend.

### Parish Support

October 29, 2023

Amount Received \$ 10,624.87

Amount Budgeted \$ 15,000.00

Surplus/ (Deficit) (\$ 4,375.13)

YTD Received \$258,607.04

YTD Budget \$270,000.00

YTD Surplus (Deficit) (\$ 11,392.96)



Thank you for your continued support of our parish and all our ministries! God Bless

## MILITARY LIST

Abby Cruz – Navy Pilot
Ryan Cruz – Captain, Marine Corp.
Colonel Gerald A. Nunziato, Jr.
Jacob Samson - Airforce
Philip McLaughlin - USMC
Jonathan Kelly – Captain USMC
Brian Litwin – Spec. Army Nat. Guard
Dr. Wm. M Sweeney – Lieutenant, Navy Med. Core



## STEWARDSHIP

*“Whoever exalts himself will be humbled; but whoever humbles himself will be exalted.”*

Matthew 23:12

The world celebrates people in the spotlight and those who have the most of everything. We often think that celebrity, money and possessions are the key to happiness. Yet, our world is filled with more loneliness, anxiety, and depression than ever before. The key to a happy life is having relationships. We need a relationship with God and a relationship with each other as the foundation for a happy life. The foundation of any good relationship is trust and humility is the seed of trust.

## 2024 MASS INTENTIONS

Now that we have given everyone in the parish the opportunity to schedule a Mass for their loved ones in 2024, we are accepting additional Mass Intention requests. We will accept three additional Masses on a first received basis. We are still in the process of scheduling the Masses on particular days, based on what we know to the be calendar to date. We regret that there are always changes that happen and we appreciate your understanding when Masses need to be rescheduled. Thank you!

### 2024 Mass Intention Request Form

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Name of Mass Intention*

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*Name of person requesting the intention*

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*Requested date – Not guaranteed*

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## Vote NO Allows Abortion through Nine Months

This Tuesday, the rights and safety of women, children, and parents are on the ballot. Issue 1 not only puts women at risk and threatens parental rights, but this extreme amendment also allows abortions through all nine months of pregnancy. The vague language of Issue 1 endangers preborn children and Catholics cannot be silent when the most vulnerable are in harm's way.

**Catholics must Vote NO in Issue 1** because it endangers children by...

- Allowing abortion through all nine months by using the overly broad term "health" to permit painful, late term abortion. In U.S. law, "health" includes age, as well as psychological, emotional, or physical well-being, so an abortion providing—physician could justify an abortion in the third trimester by citing a woman's age or emotional well-being.
- Leaving preborn children without protection by giving abortion providers the ability to determine on a "case by case" basis when a preborn child is protected by state laws. If abortion-providing physicians can decide when a preborn child is viable, this allows the same clinician to sidestep regulations and end the lives of potentially viable children.

Our Catholic faith teaches us that every human being deserves protection, love, and care – especially the most vulnerable. This Tuesday, to defend the preborn from painful, late-term abortions and to protect children in the womb, **Vote No on Issue 1.**



## VETERANS DAY

HONORING ALL THOSE WHO SERVED

### PRAYER FOR VETERAN'S DAY

Lord, God, Almighty Father, creator of mankind and author of peace, as we are ever mindful of the cost paid for the liberty we possess, we ask you to bless the members of our armed forces. Give them courage, hope and strength. May they ever experience your firm support, gentle love, and compassionate healing. Be their power and protector, leading them from darkness to light. To you be all glory, honor, and praise, now and forever. Amen.

### FAMILY CENTER FUNDRAISER Everybody Loves Handel's Ice Cream!



We are continuing to sell Handel's Ice Cream Pint Cards in the parish office during office hours. The cards cost **\$5.95** each and the church keeps a portion of each card sold.

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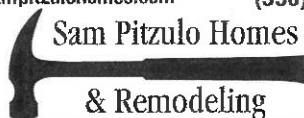
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